



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

August 25, 1999

**Benjamin L. Ginsberg
Patton Boggs
2550 M Street, NW
Washington, D.C. 20037-1350**

**RE: MUR: 4736
Sam Brownback for U.S. Senate
and Allan W. Groesbeck, as Treasurer**

Dear Mr. Ginsberg:

This is in response to your letter dated August 18, 1999, requesting an extension of 30 days until September 20, 1999 to respond to the Commission's reason to believe finding. After considering the circumstances presented in your letter, the Office of the General Counsel has granted the requested extension. Accordingly, your response is due by the close of business on September 20, 1999.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mark Shonkwiler", written over a horizontal line.

**Mark Shonkwiler
Attorney**

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